SAD WORK OF TIME'S CORRODING TOOTH

Evidence of Decay and Neglect Are Manifest on Every Side in the Building-Convicts Are Poorly Clad, Fed and Bedded.

penitentiary investigation and the possibilstand a very rigid examination into the pres has very decidedly deteriorated, and a general atmosphere of neglect and destruction pervades the whole place.

This fact intrudes itself upon the notice of the visitor as soon as he passes through the by the water that filters through the defec

Another feature that will not permit itself to be overlooked is the sewerage system, which is wretchedly defective. The poisonous sewer gas that is constantly escaping can be detected in any part of the buildings or anywhere on the grounds. It is so offensive that it is a womler why there has not been uniformed to be presented in the presented of the pre been an epidemic at the prison before this.

they are at the present time. They wear
the prison stripes, but the material is the
verlest shoddy. A partial attempt is made
to keep the clothing patched together as
long as it will hold a thread, but many of
the convicts are ragged, and their general
appearance shows that they have not received the benefit of the appropriations that
have been made for the maintenance of the
particularly. The same is type of the cells penitentiary. The same is true of the cells It is flithy, and bears no evidence that wash-

cay going on at the penitentiary that led the going it would be but a short time until the prison would have to be rebuilt, and they offered the state a lot of land for a new location, and something toward the necessary new buildings. There would have been no thought of relocation had not the probability of approaching heavy expenditures to main-tain the institution at the present site forced

itself upon the Kearneyites.

to the prison, but took no evidence concernwas set forth in their report, and the same was true of the cruelty investigating com-mittee, which called particular attention to the condition of the prison. They likewise went into, the sanitary arrangements, and called attention to the fact that the convicts were allowed but ten minutes for a bath

The condition of the penitentiary property. however, is what calls for more than passing notice. Each legislature has made ample appropriations to keep everything con-nected with the institution in the best of repair, but this has not been done, and the place is now in a condition that will require a very material outlay to prevent a heavy loss to the state. Where the money hereto-fore appropriated has gone can only be con-

sideration in the house. Senator Babcock's Pintte river canal bill is clamoring for a hearing in the upper house, and the anti-monopoly side of the lower house will move culty in arriving at a conclusion that will be satisfactory to each of the members. Cas-per is of the opinion that there was a good sure of just what he does want, but thinks that somebody ought to be consured. Just how's satisfactory report will be arrived at

of this fact. What will make a louder howl for the passage of this bill than there has been before is the fact that many of the in

The senate sitting committee will probably be amounced before many more days are allowed to glide by, and it will also be known whether or not the house is to have a committee to do the asserting act, as Scott's resolution asking that no such committed appointed in the lower house is still

General Thayer Protests Again. LINCOLN, Neb., March II .- To the Editor of Tun Ben: There was not a word of truth in the letter published this morning in regard to myself, touching the penitentiary report, except that I looked up some members to find out what the report

report changed or modified. I never have said or claimed that I was of responsible for the acts of the warden. His appointment was not dictated by the Board of Public Lands and Buildings, I have never claimed that the board should be held

golely responsible. Very truly yours.
J. M. Thayra.

IT WILL HARDLY HOLD HAY made a speech in opposition to it, holding that it removed for nine months in the year the few restrictions now thrown about racing and gambling. Nearly all the senators made short speeches in favor of the measure on its plain merits.

BOURGEOIS IS DETERMINED.

He Will No Longer Remain at the Head of

the Department of Justice. [Copyrighted 1893 by James Gordon Bennett.] Panis, March 12 .- | New York Herald Cable—Special to Trn Ban. |—In spite of the entreaties of his colleagues. M. Bourgeois, minister of justice, insists upon withdrawing from the cabinet.

Pending the selection of a successor, M Develle, minister of foreign affiairs, will take charge of the department.

Tomorrow the government will be interpellated, and M. Bourgeois will participate in the debate as a deputy. He will appear before the court of assize as a witness tomorrow, either before the session of the Chamber or after. Jacques St. Cere.

MME COTTUS EVIDENCE.

Paris Still Excited Over Her Disclosures-A

Cabinet Crisis.
Parts, March 12 —The sensation caused by Mme. Cottu's testimony yesterday does not abate. The attempt to propagate the avenge the sentence of her husband when she gave her evidence against the government has failed completely. The papers publish an interview with her in which she

publish an interview with her in which she says she was actuated by a determination to tell the truth, regardless of personal in-terests or domestic affections.

M. Somouny, the police official who tried to get from Mine. Cottu documents compro-mising royalist deputies, has resigned from the directorship of the penitentiary department. Police Commissioner Nicole, who arranged the interview between him and Mme Cottu, will be dismissed.

Deputy Despress has given notice that he will interpellate the government in the Chamber of Deputies as to Mme. Cottus evidence. In the Senate M. Morris will make a similar interpellation.

The cabinet crisis inaugurated by the resignation of M. Bourgeois has been shown today to be beyond hope of repair by patch-work. At a cabinet meeting this morning the ministers agreed that every effort should be made to induce M. Bourgeois to reconsider his resignation and in the hope that the efforts would be successful, it was decided that no new minister should be appointed until M. Bourgeois should have given evidence in the assize court and should have explained to the deputies his position. If M. Bourgeois should still insist upon his retirement, another minister should be appointed, but this was regarded as an improbable event of the crisis.

This afternoon several ministers called upon M. Bourgeois, but when the cabinet reassembled this evening, M. Ribet announced that M. Bourgeois had been deaf to all arguments and he had insisted that he would not return to office. Subsequently at M. Ribot's request President Carnot signed a decree giving to M. de Veile, temporarily, M. Bourgeois' portfolio. Henri Bisson gives as the reason for his

resignation from the presidency of the par-liamentary commission of finquiry into the Panama scandal the fact that his health is

failing.

The ministers are awaiting with intense nation, and something toward the necessary new buildings. There would have been no thought of relocation had not the probability of approaching heavy expenditures to maintain the institution at the present site forced itself upon the Koarneyites.

Noticed by the Committee.

The investigating committee took notice of these facts on the eccasion of their first visit to the prison, but took no evidence concernministry. ministry.

Caino, March e12:-M. Chevalier of the Department of the Public Debt has been chosen to succeed Charles de Lesseps as director of the Suez Canal company.

SHOT BY A REJECTED LOVER.

Desperate and Cruel Deed of Joseph Massey at Onincy, Mass.

Quincy, Mass., March 12.-Unrequited love and jealousy were the causes of a probable murder and suicide at Quincy today, the principals in the shocking tragedy being Mary Victoria LaFave, a comely lass of 18 years, and Joseph Massey, aged about 30 years. The girl, who is a devout church member, had been to mass and was returning home unattended. Massey, who had been waiting for her, followed her. A score or more of other people, who were also returning from church, were also behind her. When the girl had reached a point opposite the entrance to the old Miller estate, commonly known as the Stile. Massey was seen to step up near her, and, without any warning drew revolver and fired three shots in rapid succession, which were followed by a heart-rending scream from the girl.

The whole affair came so suddenly upo the eyewitnesses that they were for a moment apparently paralyzed and paid no at-tention to Massey, who, after doing the shooting, did not stop to see the result, but turned and walked leisurely away. Realizing finally what he had done the crowd which had gathered cried "Stop that man; he has shot a giri!"

Several men started for him, but before he could be overtaken he produced the revolver which he still held in his hand, pointed it at his head and fired, the pall entering just be-hind the right ear. Without saying a word he fell over on a bank of snow and expired

in about ten minutes. Willing hands took the girl tenderly in withing manus took the girl tenderly in their arms and carried her to her home, a short distance away, where doctors made an examination. They found that all the shots had taken effect. One passed through the left wrist, the other two entered the middle of the back a little to the left of the spinal column, between the ninth and eleventh column, between the math and eleventh ribs, fracturing the ninth rib. One of the builets lodged in the left lung and one in the abdomen. Physicians do not have much hopes of her recovery. The girl was employed in a shoe manufactory.

Massey, the perpetrator of the crime, had, up to within nine months, been employed at the same factory. He paid considerable attention to the young woman and upon

attention to the young woman and, upon several occasions, called upon her at her home. He was apparently desperately in love with her and urged her to become his wife. His love, however, was not reciprocated, and love, however, was not reciprocated, and the girl in every way possible discouraged his attentions. Some nine months ago he went to Mariboro to work, but frequently came to Quincy Saturday night, remaining until Monday morning. He made the threat that if the girl did not marry him she would not marry any one else, as he would shoot her first, which threat he put into execution

Indianapolis, Ind., March 12.—A Logans port, Ind., special to the Sentmel says: Fife today destroyed the dry goods store of Wiler & Wise. The stock was valued at \$75,000. The building was damaged to the amount of \$3,000; insurance on stock, \$43,000.

Henspale, Pa., March 12.—In a conflagration at Scelyville, a suburb of Honesdale, today in which William Ryan's dwelling was destroyed big stockers.

destroyed his brother-in-law. Thomas Kane, was burned to death. Mrs. Ryan was badly

Sr. Patt., Minn., March 12 .- A huge avalanche of ice and snow fell from the roof of the St. Paul Cordage company and struck

Movements of Orean Steamers March 12.

BOLARD'S BRAVE BUT VAIN SACRIFICE

River, but Was Himself Swept in and Both Men Perished m the Water.

LA PLATTE, Neb., March 13 .- [Special Tele gram to THE BEE]-The ice in the Platte river broke up day before yesterday, and yesterday, about noon, the water raised nearly three feet in thirty minutes, Later in the afternoon a drift log lodged against the piling of the Missouri Pacific bridge and Ed Bury, a bridge employe undertook to chop it in two. When about half done the log broke and threw him headlong into the water, and Andrew Bolard, a B. & M. employe, tried to rescue him as the current carried him under the B. & M. bridge, some distance below the Missouri Pacific bridge, opinion that she was animated by a desire to and he too lost his balance and fell into the river. Though both men remained above water for some time no aid could be given them and both were drowned.

TOWNS UNDER WATER.

Pennsylvania and Maryland Towns Damaged

by Floods, PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 12.—Reports received tonight from various sections of the western part of the state threatened by floods show abatement from the danger of a freshet in some places and in others the condition of the swollen rivers remains dangerous, and in one instance the waters burst through their banks and in mlatel a town. The latter incident occurred at Port Deposit, Md., where a night of anx lety, followed by a day of flooded streets and houses, was experienced. An ice gorge at Conowingo, a tew miles above Port Deposit, was holding in check a great volume of water. The breaking of this gorge was dreaded, and when night came on hundreds of people througed the banks of the river and watched for the coming torthe river and watched for the coming tor-rents. At 2 o'clock the gorge gave way and the flood let loose, sweeping down and spreading through Port Deposit. For a time the inhabitants feared their town would be carried away and themselves drowned. When the waters had reached the height of eight feet in the streets and houses, however, it ceased to rise, and their fears were somewhat allayed. The stage fears were somewhat allayed. The stage for the day has remained at the same height and outhouses not securely fixed have been swept off. The tracks of the Port Deposit & Columbia railroad are covered for several miles and it will be several days before the traffic can be resumed. No services were held in any of the churches today on account of the flood. The less so far is est, mated at

Portions of the ice gorge at Linden, near Williamsport, Pa., went out tonight, but re-ports received say that the main body of ice has not yet broken; that the ice has settled and threatens to move. Thousands of people crowded the bridges and shores today to watch the ice, which was expected to break. The water reached a height of fourteen feet at Williamsport tonight and all the ice between there and Linden has passed out. At Jersey Shore the water reached a height of twenty-four feet and at Linden it was two or three feet lower.

The Susquehanna at Harrisburg had fallen

this morning a foot and during the afternoon nine inches above low water mark Reports from points north indicate that the volume of water may be increased during the night, but there are no apprehensions serious flood, and while the danger o mundation is always present during the annual freshet, the residents are not alarmed

second floor of their dwellings. The indus-trial establishments along the river have not been compelled to suspend operations.

There has been no damage at Harrisburg, and it is believed the flood will recede with-

A few, however, have taken the precaution to remove their household effects to the

out the usual destruction of property.
At Easton, Pa., the Delaware river ro five feet. From noon until 3 o'clock and since then great quantities of ice have passed down. The river reached twenty-one and one-half feet there tonight and is still rising. The Lehigh river is backed up by the water in the Delaware and is overflow-ing yards and wharves, and, so far as can be learned, is not gorged at any point near Easton. In this city the danger of inundation of the mills that line the banks of the Schuyikill river at Manayunk is becoming

Just above Manayunk the Flatrock dam has broken in the center and what holds the river back from sweeping the remainder is an old submerged dam about fifteen feet back of the broken one. Should the old dam give way Flatrock dam will probably go, letting a flood down upon Manayunk, which undoubtedly will cause great loss in the flooding of property and the consequent stoppage of work in the mills.

MICHIGAN TOWNS IN DANGER.

Gorges on the Grand and Other Rivers Cause Bad Floods.

Ionia, Mich., March 12.-Never before in the history of Ionia has Grand river been so high as at present, and the river still rising. Hundreds of men were at work with teams last night and today, and the water has, so far, been successfully checked. The Capital wagon works plant's basement and lower floors are inundated. The furniture factory's plant is in almost as bad shape, and uil that can be seen of the fair grounds is the upper portion of the buildings. The whole country for miles is nothing but a raging, rushing torrent. The bridges are all in place, but in great danger.

The bridges on the Detroit, Grand Haven

& Milwaukee road are in imminent danger. This morning men were engaged in weighting them down.

Trains on the Detroit, Lansing & Northern are in confusion. The trestle at Portland gave way last night and passengers must be carted around the washout and loaded on other trains. There is no ice in the river now to speak of, but the current carries large trees and debris of every description down with territe force and whatever in down with terrific force and whatever is in its way must go. A force of men will be kept at work all night and every effort is being made to keep the waters under control a few hours longer, when it is hoped the greatest danger will be averted.

It is just reported that the lower Milwau kee bridge is in great danger. The water is underm) ag the piers and it is now feared the bridge will go out. Lyons, Mich., March 12.—The heavy flo cs

ice have been passing here all the after-on and at 5 o'clock one end of the dam gave out. A large force of men by quick work saved the whole dam from destruction. About 2 o'clock the dam at Portland gave out and an hour later tremendous qui ties of ice and water were thrown over country about here. At present it is hoped the worst is past. Dynamite has been used nearly all day in discorging what was landed there last night. Rain is falling, and unless a great quantity of ice lodges tonight serious difficulty is not expected.

Illinois Streams on a Rampage. Chicago, Ill., March 12.—Dispatches from various points in Illinois report that the rivers are rising rapidly owing to the recent warm weather, and fears are entertained of serious floods in various sections. The Illinois river is rising at the rate of nearly an inch an hour at the narrows above Peoria,

and people are living in the second stories of In the Tazewell bottoms, across the river, there has been some losses of cattle It is reported from Henry that the gov-

DROWNED IN THE PLATTE | ernment lock and dam are unsafe and a further rise may take, them out. Should this happen the valley below would be swept by the floods.

The streams in the vicinity of Freeport are higher than for years past.

The passing out of ice in Rock river yesterday caused high water, and today the lower part of the town of Dixon was inundated. Many residents were compelled to

lower part of the town of Dixon was inun-dated. Many residents were compelled to leave their homes.

Virginia, Ili., reports that the Illinois river is now three miles wide at Beards-town and rising rapidly. All people on the lowlands are moving out as rapidly as pos-sible.

Floods and Fire at North Bend. NORTH BEND, Neb., March 12 .- [Special to THE BEE.] -The ice gorge in the Platte river went out last night, taking with it nine spans of the wagon bridge, causing a loss of about \$3,000. The river rose six feet in four hours, flooding all the low land and backing the water up over the Union Pacific track, but doing little damage to the track. Rawhale creek, north of town, broke out, flooding part of the town.

Railroad Trucks Washed Away

PORTLAND, Mich., March 12.—The Detroit, Lansing & Northern railroad is the heaviest oser by the flood. Last night sixty feet of track was washed out half a mile east of the depot by an ice gorge which turned the course of Looking Glass river across the roadbed. The washout was just before a passenger train was due to pass. Several bridges on this road are in danger.

Ice in the Mississippi Moving. DAVENDORT, Ia., March 12.—The river cleared of ice at Muscatine today, and the river is free from that point south. was a movement here at 5 o'clock this after-noon, the field in front of the city moving downward some 200 yards. Ice has gorged on the islands below and the back water is rising rapidly.

Carried Out Stony City's Pontoon Bridge. Stoux City, Ia., March 12 .- | Special Tele gram to THE BEE. |-The ice went out of the Missouri here today, carrying away the pon toon bridge and nearly demolishing the false work of the Pacific Short Line bridge. A gorge below the city caused a rise of several feet during the day.

Went Out with the Ice. COLUMBUS, Neb., March 12.- Special Telegram to THE BEE.]-Seven spans of the Platte river wagon bridge two miles south of the city went out today when the river broke up. Work on the Union Pacific Loup bridge is being pushed as rapidly as possible.

CAPTURED SUPPLIES.

Rebels in Rio Grande do Sul in Possession

of Government Stores. [Copyrighted 1893 by James Gerd in Bennett.] Valpanaiso, Chill, (via Galveston, Tex.), March 12 - By Mexican Cable to the New York Herald-Special to The Bee.]-A message from the Herald correspondent says that the federals in Rio Grande do Sul, Brazil, have captured a large amount of arms and munitions of war, which were being forwarded to the government troops The correspondent adds that the Monte Caseros district has been almost converted into a barren waste, through the cruelties practiced upon the people by the authorities. Chief of Police Alonzo has publicly whipped the mother and sister of ex-Chief of Police Gonzales, who was guilty of the great op-

pressions of 1889. The action of Dr. Errazuriz, Chilian minister of foreign affairs, in signing the treaty with-Bolivia, is regarded by the newspapers as fully sustaining the claims of Chili in regard to territorial limits. The treaty, it is believed, indicates that Chih will not relinquish any of the claims by which Argentina can acquire the water sources of this re

A meeting will be held tomorrow between M. Errazuriz and the minister from Argentina, at which a protocal will be signed for the survey of the disputed boundary of Chili and the Argentine Republic.

Valparaiso, March 12.—It has been officially announced that the Chilian minister of foreign affairs has signed a treaty with the Bolivian minister, fixing limits for the two republics, thus settling the old boundary dispute. A point was gained by Minister Errazuriz on behalf of Chili under which the ine of demarcation includes in Chilian terri tory water sources which have been claimed by Argentina.

A conference was held in Santiago yesterday between Errazuriz, minister of foreign affairs, and the minister from Argentina in regard to the appointment of a commission to settle the boundaries between Chili and

Against Their Introduction.

DENOUNCED HOOPSKIRTS. Estherville, Ia., Young Women Protest

FORT DODGE, Ia., March 12.—[Special Telegram to The Ber.] -The young ladies of the little town of Estherville have taken a decided stand against the hoopskirt. A call for a meeting to discuss the matter was issued by a half dozen of the leading young ladies of the town, and the girls came out in force to the meeting, and a lively denuncia-tion of the coming garment followed. Not a single voice was raised in favor of the crinome. Formal resolutions were adopted de-claring the hoopskirt a spare and a delusion. a relie of barbarism and an unwomanly gar

nent, and declaring that any young on Estherville who should don the would be socially ostracised. After the meeting the dry goods merchants of the town met and agreed not to order any of the enounced garments. He Will Race Horses in the Future. FORT DODGE, Ia., March 12.—[Special Tele gram to THE BEE.]-W. H. Tyrell, the ex-Methodist minister who was compelled to resign his pastorate at Clarion because he acted as judge in a horse race, has returned home after a prolonged absence in the west.
Mr. Tyrell denies the report sent out in a
press dispatch from Denver that he had
eloped with his wife's sister. He says he
will attend the Methodist church as a lay-

man and devote himself to racing horses. Cut His Thront. DES MOINES, Ia., March 12 .- | Special Telegram to THE BEE. |-At a late hour tonight James Howe, a flagman employed by the Chicago Great Western railroad, com-

Has Californin's Good Will. SACRAMENTO, Cal., March 12.—The two louses of the legislature met in joint session yesterday to hear the address of A. H. Harvey of the executive committee of the

mitted suicide by cutting his throat with a

Transmississippi congress, to meet at Ogden April 24, and passed the following Resolved. That California receives with reciprocal good will the invitation to co-operate with the Transmississippi congress and appreciates its objects and believes that in co-operation with this body its interests will be materially enhanced:

WHITE PLAYS, N. Y., March 12.-Mrs. Moses Miller, 68 years old, and Mrs. Ann Julian, 60 years old, two well-to-do sisters living in a fine house owned by Mrs. Miller, on Central avenue, were found in bed this morning almost dead from asphyxiation by coal gas which had escaped from the stove. They are not expected to recover.

Smothered by Coal Gas.

Business Troubles.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., March 12 .- J. F. Bailey and Sons, dealers in iron, who suspended payment two weeks ago, made an assignment yesterday to Owen J. Kinsley. assignment yesterday to Owen J. Kinsl The assets and liabilities are not known.

MR. CLEVELAND WILL PROCEED SLOWLY

Conjectures as to the View the New Secretary of State Will Take of Minister Stevens' Actions-Some Interesting Washington Gossip.

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE BEE, 518 FOUNTEENTH STREET, WASHINGTON, D. C., March 12. The coming week promises to determine the policy of the Cleveland administration toward the annexation of Hawaii. The United States flag is still flying over the government buildings of Hawaii, notwithstanding the fact that President Cleveland has withdrawn the treaty and has brought the negotiations to a halt. If the flag continues to fly it will amount to an endorsement on the part of Secretary Gresham of the course pursued by Minister Stevens. It is believed, therefore, that the policy of the new administration will soon be made manifest by the orders issued to Minister Stevens as to continuing or abandoning his temporary protectorate of the island. It is generally believed that Mr. Cleveland desires to proceed slowly and that he prefers to have a commission visit Hawaii and make a full report before further action is taken.

Another Surprise for Office Seekers.

It was stated today that Don M. Dickinson

upon the acquisition of this island as one of the most important acts of the new admin-

wished to head the commission, as he looked

The president may have further surprises in store for the office seekers. He told a prominent member of congress, who asked him in regard to the declaration that he would not reappoint men who held office under him before: that his idea was not to perpetuate an office holding dynasty. He said he disliked to see offices kept in one family or handed down from father to son. and he did not believe that it was for the best interests of the nation that this should be the case. He then went on to explain that he not only would not reappoint ex-office holders, but he would not, unless there was some particularly good reason for it, appoint any other member of the same family. This opinion is said to be expressed in regard to an application made for the brother of a man who held a prominent office under Mr. Cieveland during his first term. As the ex-office holder himself is ruled out he is now trying to get the place for his brother, and Mr. Cleveland declared that he should not appoint a relative merely to please the man who held office before.

Cleveland's Nominations. President Cleveland's second lot of nominations is expected to go to the senate to-morrow or Tuesday. Senator Cockrell of Missouri, who is one of the leading spirits of the senate caucus committee, says the com-mittee will make known the majority members of senate committees on Tuesday and that the nominations which the presi-dent has ready may be withheld until the committees are announced. The nomina-tions anticipated are ex-Congressman Wheeler of Michigan for commissioner of pensions; ox-Congressman Peel of Arkansas, com-missioner of Indian affairs; e x-Congressman McAdoo of New Jersey assistant secretary of the navy. It is believed that ex-Secretary Bayard's name, as minister to Great Britain, will go in at an early day, although his friends here say he has declined it. It is still believed that Frederic Coudert of New York will go as minister to France. It is asserted with a good deal of positiveness that ex-Congressman C. C. Matson of Indiana or ex-Congressman Albert Willis of Louisville, Ky., will be nominated as com-missioner of internal revenue.

Suggested the Idea to Cleveland, Hughes East, who was register of the United States land office at Yankton, S. D. under Cleveland four years ago, is here and claims to have suggested to President Cleveland the idea of "turning the old rascals out" by refusing to reappoint the men who once held office four years ago. It appears, however, that Hughes did not intend to bring about the rule which has been estab-ished and which bars bimself out of office. He wrote Mr. Cleveland shortly after the election explaining that while he was against him in the campaign for nomination he was glad that he (Cleveland) was to be president and it was to be hoped that there would "be a new deal all around." Mr. Cleveland took him at his word and so Hughes presses brick in Washington without hope of reward. East will soon be enjoying the air of Yankton.

Senator Beckwith of Wyoming has taken parters with A. L. New, chairman of the lemocratic committee of Wyoming, and they will look after the office seekers here. Secretary Morton says he will retain the efficient officers of the Agricultural depart-Mr. Cleveland's Sunday.

Washington, D. C., March 12.-If President Cleveland has selected his church in Washington he gave no evidence of that choice today. He did not attend divine wor ship, but spent the morning quietly resting from the arduous duties of his first week in office. Some attention was paid to matters of pressing importance and Private Secretary Thurber remained in the office the bet ter part of the day. A little after 3 o'clock Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland went for a driv-

and for more than an hour enjoyed the beauty of a perfect day. Vice President St. e. son, accompanied by Mrs. Stevenson, attended the morning service at the New York Avenue Presby terian church, which is the same they at-tended during the previous democratic ad-ministration. Mr. Stevenson has not yet selected a pew, but today occupied that of Mr. Noble Larner. In the afternoon, accompanied by Judge Lawrence of the court of claims and Mr. Lewis Stevenson. his son, the vice president took an extended stroll. This evening he received a number of calls from personal friends.

Deep Sea Fish for the World's Fair, Washington, D. C., March 12. - The United States fish commission has been the recipient of substantial aid from Prof. M. F. Ingalls of the Chesapeake & Ohio and the Big Four railroad lines. Commissioner McDonald informed Mr. ingalls that his appropriation for the World's fair was not sufficient to enable him to supply a proper quantity of sea water for the capacious aquarium of the government fish exhibit at Chicago. Mr. In-galls promptly agreed to furnish tank ears sufficient to transport the water needed free of all expense. It was found that it would require seven carloads of ocean water, and a number of cars have been placed by Mr. Ingalis at the disposal of Colonel McDonald. The ocean fish for the exhibition are being loaded for the trip to Chicago.

Sing Sing, N. Y., March 12.-James L.

Hamilton, who was sentenced to die by electricity during the week beginning tomorrow, has been granted a respite for one week by Governor Flower. The ground on which the delay was granted is the state-ment of counsel for Hamilton that new evi-dence had been discovered by which they claim to be able to prove an alibi. The hearing is set for next Thursday.

NORWALK, Conn., March 12.-James H. Hyatt died of a complication of Bright's disease, gout and other complaints at his residence on West avenue, shortly after 3 o'clock this afternoon, after a long and painful ill-ness, aged 55 years. CHICAGO, Ill., March 12.-William H. Mun-

derloh, vice president of the Board of Trade of Montreal, Can., and consul of the Gern.an empire in that city, died here today of paralysis. He was, when taken ill, on his way to California, where his family is temporarily residing.

CINCINNATI, O., March 12.—At 11 o'clock tonght at the Hotel Stratford, in Cincinnati, Luke Schoolcraft, the famous comedian, died, He was a member of the Russell Comedy commany and played at the Walnut Street theater last night. The cause of his death was gastric fever, complicated with was gastric fever, complicated with

FROM MANIFORA TO THE LAKES.

Another Line of Rullroad to Be Built if Goverament Assistance is Received.

St. Paul, Minn., March 12 - A Winnipez. Man. special to the Pioneer-Press says Prominent capitalists are here en leavoring to receive assistance from the Manitoba government for a railroad that will give V innipeg and northern Minnesota another Circugh line to Lake Superior. The promoters of the company claim that they have make all finan-cial arrangements for the work, provided the Manitoba government gives reasonable as-sistance. The intention is to run the road sistance. The intention is to run the road over the Winnipes & Southestern survey to the Lake of the Woods, near Northwest An-gle, thence across the boundary into northern Minnesota, tapping the rich mineral lands. The road then continues directly cast until a junction is formed with the Port Arthur, Duluth & Western road, giving connection directly to Port Arthur and also making a junction with either the Duluth & making a junction with either the Duluth & Winnipeg or the Duluth, Mesaba & Northern roads direct to Duluth. The building of this line, the promoters claim, would give Winnipeg a more direct line to both Duluth and Port Arthur than the Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific. As an inducement to Manitoba to give assistance a guarantee is to be given. give assistance a guarantee is to be given by the company that wheat will be carried from Winnipeg to the lake port at 3 cents less than any existing line.
A delegation of promoters interviewed the

government yesterday and it is understood received satisfactory assurance from them that aid to the extent of \$450,000 would be given that part of the line in Manitoba. Premier Greenway intimated that he was greatly in favor of the road and if necessary would call a special session of the legislature together to grant the money to the project

TOTTEN'S PR PHESIES.

He Has an Interesting Talk with a News. paper Man. New York, March 12.-In speaking of his

work, Prof. Totten stated today in an interview that he had "not a shadow of doubt as to the general accuracy of his chronological work, nor as to its particular accuracy within the necessary personal equation of all actually in the "midnight hour," specified in the parable of the "Ten Virgins." "The clock," said the professor, "is still

striking, the tenth stroke will end its sounding at the coming March equinox, the eleventh in June and the twelfth or final stroke at the September equinox of the current year. After that none of the 'virgins' need be in further doubt as to the 'time' or as to what or who is at hand."'
"Many facts," he continued, "assure me that we are at the midnight hour of the

Christian dispensation, and I am sure that the seventh angel of the Saviour's revelation to St. John is soon to sound the seventh and final trumpet which will lift the veil from the mystery of God, but which is not to be the mystery of God, but which is not to be confused with the 'final trump' as commonly understood. In spite of misrepresentations to the contrary, I do not anticipate the end of the world, but the beginning of a new and better dispensation. I anticipate a crisis 'tomorrow' and the millenium 'the day after.' I expect the first resurrection very soon, but not the second until a thousand years of golden age have sped-away."

his reasons for his belief.

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HAWAIIAN AFFAIRS. Commissioner Carter Has an Interesting

Talk with a Reporter. New York, March 12 .- Commissioner Carter, one of the Hawaiian agents who came to this country in the interest of annexation, said today, regarding the queen's statement published recently:

"So far as it refers to Minister Stevens, it is absolutely false. He has not been unfriendly to or tried to embarrass the Hawaiian government. On the other hand his conduct has been unusually courteous toward the queen and her representatives" "Do you favor the appointment of a conmission to investigate Hawaiian affairs?

was asked. "I don't think it would be advisable to send a commission to Hawaii now. It would only delay our negotiations."

"Are you in favor of the establishment of a protectorate! "I don't see how such a policy would aid us any in solving the question. The trouble is all internal. The provisional government is now in charge of business men who have taken it in hand, believing that it will benefit the people. They simply want to maintain the present form of government until some arrangement mutually satisfactory can be made with the United States. The queen will never be restored to the throne, and the movement in favor of the princess will, I think, be futile. All those who understand the needs of Hawaii believe in an election.

PUZZLES THE DOCTORS.

Remarkable Case of a Colored Youth a Relena, Arkansas.

HELENA, Ark., March 12.—Dan McKell, -a oung colored man of this county, is puzzling the physicians of this vicinity. About year ago, while having an epileptic fit, h fell into an open fireplace and when found he was lying in the fire in an unconscious condition. His scalp, the muscles of his head and the bones of the left side, as well a tissues covering the left shoulder, the side covering the left shoulder, were parched. He was in an unconscious condition for two days, and recollected no incident happening prior to regaining consciousness. The bone and flesh were burned from his head to such an extent that the brain could be felt. Little medical attention was given him, only household remedies being ap pried. The burn removed one-half the skull Now after a year the burned skull is being reconstructed and bids fair to completely heal, making an almost new bone cov for the brain. The man has fewer fits than before he had the accident. His mind is clear and he now does the work of an ordinary farm hand. He was before the medical society of this county at a convention. The case has no parallel so far as known by the medical authorities.

Double Murder and Snielde.

CHICAGO, Ill., March 12 - Z. S. Kies, a ratchman at the World's fair grounds, tonight fatally shot his wife and Mrs. Mary Weir, a neighbor. He then turned his re-volver against himself, inflicting a wound which may prove fatal. Kies came home drank, and going into the room where Mrs Weir was nursing his wife, who was ill and in bed, he threw his heavy overcoat on the bed. Mrs. Weir objected and pulled the coat off. Kies threw it back again, and when Mrs. Weir attempted to pull it off the second time he chased her from the room and fired two shots at her, both taking effect. Mrs. Kies was aroused by the shooting and came running out of the bedroom and Kies immediately shot her in the left side.

To Be Assistant Treasurer. Boston, Mass., March 12.-The Herald states, on what it asserts is good authority, that there is no doubt what ever but that Charles S. Hamlin will be made assistant United States treas-urer. Indeed Mr. Quincy would not ac-cept his own appointment except on the con-dition that his selection should not interfere tion which he is so well fitted to fill accepta-

EDITORS NEED NOT APPLY

They Will Not Be Appointed to Office Under the Present Administration.

REASONS FOR THIS HARSH DECISION

Mr. Cleveland Believes That His Predecessor Suffered Through the Charge of Having Substilized the Press-A Cruel Ruling if Enforced.

Washington, D. C., March 12.—The Post says: The assertion that editors are not generally to be recognized by the new administration is true. Mr. Cleveland believes that his predecessor suffered through the charge of having subsidized the press, and he does not intend to run the same gauntlet. The decision is also to be made particularly applicable to newspaper men who desire to be postmasters in their towns. Mr Bissell has had the names of some country editors presented to him, by whom various postoffices were desired, but he has uniformly offices were desired, but he has uniformly declined to give any encouragement to the office seekers. He lays down the principle that in small towns all the utterances of the newspaper over which the postmaster-editor presides will be regarded as the views of the administration, while, on the other hand, all praise of Mr. Cleveland's acts will be discounted because it emanates from the regiment of official favor. Therefrom the recipient of official favor. Therefore, Mr. Bissell does not propose to appoint any editors to postmusterships, and the president will observe the same rule in dispusing of higher offices.

IMMIGRATION TO THE UNITED STATES. Precautions that Are Being Taken to Pre-

vent the Introduction of Cholera. Washington, D. C., March 12.-The Treasary department is advised by the Department of State that steerage traffic between

European points and the United States, which was discontinued on January 1 last, has been resumed. United States Consul-Gardner at Rotterdam, in a report to the State department, gives a detailed account of the precautions taken there to prevent the emigration of persons affected with contagious diseases. In addition to the safeguards against transmission of disease afforded by the local system of examination, made immediately before embarkation, a new hotel, designed exclusively human effort." He maintains that we are for the accommodation of steerage and second class passengers enroute for the United States has been built. This hotel, known as the "Nasm," is owned by the Netherlands American company and is

> control of this building, according to Dutch laws, is in the hands of the commissioner of immigration, and the United States consult has free access to the building. Consul Gardner states that within the past three or four years the rate of steerage passage from Rotterdam to New York has increased in the ratio of the added restricincreases in the ratio of the added restrictions upon immigration imposed by the United States authorities. The rate for teerage in 1891 was \$20.40, while at the present time it is \$31.20. The grade of pefsons going in the steerage has also shown a percentage of improvement, more or less

solely under their management. The entire

closely corresponding to the percentage or increase of cost of passage. United States Consul Estes, at Hamburg, has submitted a report of the precautions that he has adopted against the introduction of infectious diseases into the United States by the resumption of immigration, at his port. He states that all vessels sailing from Hamburg for ports in the United States, be-fore they can obtain their bill of health, must be thoroughly disinfected according to the instructions of the United States Marine hospital service. This disinfection is superintended by Dr. W. L. Homann, a superintended by Dr. W. L. Homann, a Hamburg government surgeon, who uses the Hamburg police department seal on his certificate of disinfection. Further, the crews of vessels carrying immigrants are medically examined by Dr. Homann and Dr. Nash, a deputy of Mr. Jenkins, the health officer in New York. These physicians issue a joint certificate as to this examination. All passengers not traveling in the saloon are medically examined before embarkation are medically examined before embarkation by Dr. Homann in his capacity as govern-ment surgeon and by a physician of the steamship company. This examination is made in the presence of either the consul or vice consuls, and the certificate to that effect is annexed to the passenger manifest of the vessel. Both of the physicians issue a certificate besides, in which they declare the passengers to be in good tealth and free from all infectious diseases. The bill of health, which is not defivered to the steamship until all of these requirements have been complied with, bears across its face in red ink the exact number of cholera cases and deaths which have been reported to the Hamburg senate cholera commission during the fortnight previous to the date of the bill of health. All of the

above mentioned documents bear the authentication of the United States. Consul Estes also states that all passengers coming from Russia and Austria-Hun-gary are obliged to observe a quarantine of at least six days under police serveillance before they are permitted to go on board

IN THE SENATE.

Democratic Senators Will Soon Complete Its

Reorganization Washington, D. C., March 12.-The sesion of the senate tomorrow will probably be brief and will be confined mainly to the reception of nominations from the president. Within a day or two following, however, the committees will be appointed and the body will be in thorough working order, so far as the business for which it is called together is concerned.

Reports of committees upon the nominations will begin tomorrow and the senate will be occupied with them until the end of the special session. Aside from this business is the consideration of the legal questions involved in the appointment of three senators by the governors of Montana. Wyoming and Washington. The members of the committee on privileges and elections have already have been devoting their attention to the study of precedents and law affecting such appointments, and will doubtless be ready to make reports soon after the credentials are taken up. It happens that the de-cisions of the different points involved in these cases can be made without affecting the political complexion of the senate, and it is the intention of both sides of the chamber is the intention of both sides of the chamber to endeavor to consider the cases purely on their merits and without respect to political considerations, and thus establish a precedent that will be likely to stand hereafter. As the points involved are many and the question itself complicated, it is expected a debate will ensue in the senate upon the presentation of the report of the committee that may occur several weeks. that may occupy several weeks.

Daughters of the Revolution.

Washington, D. C., March 12.-The statement that the society of the Daughters of the American Revolution had goted to exclude all collateral descendants is at least premature. It has seen submitted for dis-cussion to all the chapters during the pres-ent year and the final vote will be taken at the next congress in February, 1894. During the coming year all such applicants will be received as they have been heretofore.

Washington, D. C., March 12.-Secretary

Herbert says that he does not favor making changes among the mechanics of the navy yards because of politics and would follow

the practice of his predecessor in this re-

Way to Utter Ruination.

LINCOLN, Neb., March 12 - Special to THE Bug]-In the midst of all the talk about the ity of pursuing that investigation still farther, a knowledge of the situation there strengthens the conviction that the state's prison is not in a condition to successfully ent state of affairs there. The writer visited the pen a few days ago on a tour of inspection and found things in a condition that was in marked contrast to what was noted there five and a half years ago, on the occasion of his last former visit. There is no disguising the fact that the institution is far from being up to the standard of a few years ago. It

massive entrance into the imposing turreted structure that constitutes the center. The plaster is all falling from the walls, caused tive roof, and the walls have become watersoaked. At the rate it is going the roof will collapse before the close of the year, and the center will become a complete

Worse Than Falstaff's Army. The change that has been wrought is apparent in the appearance of the convicts, who were never before clothed as poorly as they are at the present time. They wear

day ever comes on the prison calendar.
It was the knowledge of the consuming cay going on at the pententiary that led the citizens of Kearney something over a year ago to move for the relocation of that institution at the county seat of Buffalo county. They knew that at the rate things were

once a week.

ectured, as there is nothing at the peniten tiary to show for it. Will Be a Busy Week. The indications are that the coming week will be a lively one in legislative halls, as the session is drawing to a close, and a number of important bills are crowding for their final reading and passage. The Omaha charter bill is being pushed for final dispo-sition in the senate Tuesday, and the Lin-coln city charter bill is being forced by the Lancaster county delegation for speedy con-

monopoly side of the lower house will move everything that is not tied down to get their maximum rate bill over to the senate and acted upon without delay. The reports of the various investigating committees already submitted will come up for definite action, and the report of the senatorial bribery investigating committee is to be formulated tomorrow and submitted within a day or two.

And it may be stated within a day or two. And it may be stated right here that this committee is going to have some little diffi-

deal of talk and therefore more or less fire behind all the smoke, but is not certain that enough positive evidence was secured to war-McKesson is insisting on a general clear-ing of everybody and the complete exonera-tion of all whose names have been mentioned in connection with the case. Stevens is not

the members of the committee. Clamoring for Cash. The appropriation bills will also be crowding for recognition before long. The appro-priation for incidental expenses of the legislative body has not yet been passed, and there is a great deal of complaint among those who have furnished material because

witnesses and attorneys will be demanding their compensation. The reason why the bill has not been passed up to the present time is unknown to the average individual.

> Injured by Fading Ire. four men who were at work near the building, injuring all of them. John Mork is in a critical condition and it is possible that he

At Liverpool-Arrivol-Jolumbia, from To Prohibit Winter Racing.

THENTON, N. J., March 12.—The Burne bill to prohibit winter racing was rushed through the senate. Mr. Daly of Hudson

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At Havre—Arrived—La Gascogne, from New York.

At New York—Arrived—Berlin, from Liverpoor; La Bourgogne, from Havre.

He Heroically Tried to Resene Bury from the